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NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION - Engineering Bureau -

ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION COVERSHEET

THIS COVERSHEET IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS

Application Acronyms:

- [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [NSL-Non-Standard Location] [DD-Directional Drilling] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication] [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling] [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement] [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion] [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase] [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

[1] TYPE OF APPLICATION - Check Those Which Apply for [A]

- [A] Location - Spacing Unit - Directional Drilling [X] NSL [] NSP [] DD [] SD

Check One Only for [B] or [C]

- [B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement [] DHC [] CTB [] PLC [] PC [] OLS [] OLM [C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery [] WFX [] PMX [] SWD [] IPI [] EOR [] PPR

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[2] NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO: - Check Those Which Apply, or [X] Does Not Apply

- [A] [] Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners [B] [] Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner [C] [] Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice [D] [] Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office [E] [] For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or, [F] [] Waivers are Attached

[3] INFORMATION / DATA SUBMITTED IS COMPLETE - Statement of Understanding

I hereby certify that I, or personnel under my supervision, have read and complied with all applicable Rules and Regulations of the Oil Conservation Division. Further, I assert that the attached application for administrative approval is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and where applicable, verify that all interest (WI, RI, ORRI) is common. I further verify that all applicable API Numbers are included. I understand that any omission of data, information or notification is cause to have the application package returned with no action taken.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with supervisory capacity.

C. WADE HOWARD Print or Type Name

C. Wade Howard Signature

ENGINEER ASSISTANT Title

12/18/96 Date



Texaco Exploration
and Production Inc

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Midland TX 79701

P O Box 3109
Midland TX 79702

December 18, 1996

GOV - STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

Unorthodox Location
C. C. Fristoe "B" Federal NCT-2 Well No. 20
Justis Blinbry and Justis Tubb Drinkard Fields
Lea County, New Mexico

State of New Mexico
Energy and Minerals Department
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Attention: Mr. Michael E. Stogner

Gentlemen:

An Exception to Rule 104 F. (2) by administrative approval, is requested for the captioned well. This well is located 1450' FNL & 2575' FEL, Unit Letter "G", of Section 35, T-24-S, R-37-E.

This well must be drilled in this location due to geological conditions. As seen on the attached map, this location is approximately equidistance to the offsetting 40 Acre producers. The proposed location will encounter laterally discontinuous reservoirs that can not be depleted from existing wellbores. If secondary recovery operations are needed in the future, the proposed location will allow the implementation of standard patterns.

There are no "affected offset operators" to this location. Attached is Form C-102 for this well.

Yours very truly,

C. W. Howard
Engineer Assistant

CWH:CES Attachments cc: BLM, Roswell, NM

DISTRICT I
P. O. Box 1980, Hobbs, NM 88240

DISTRICT II
P. O. Drawer DD, Artesia, NM 88210

DISTRICT III
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

DISTRICT IV
P. O. Box 2088, Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

State of New Mexico
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102
Revised February 10, 1994

Instructions on back

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

PO Box 2088
Santa Fe, NM 87504-2088

Submit to Appropriate District Office

State Lease-4 copies
Fee Lease-3 copies

AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

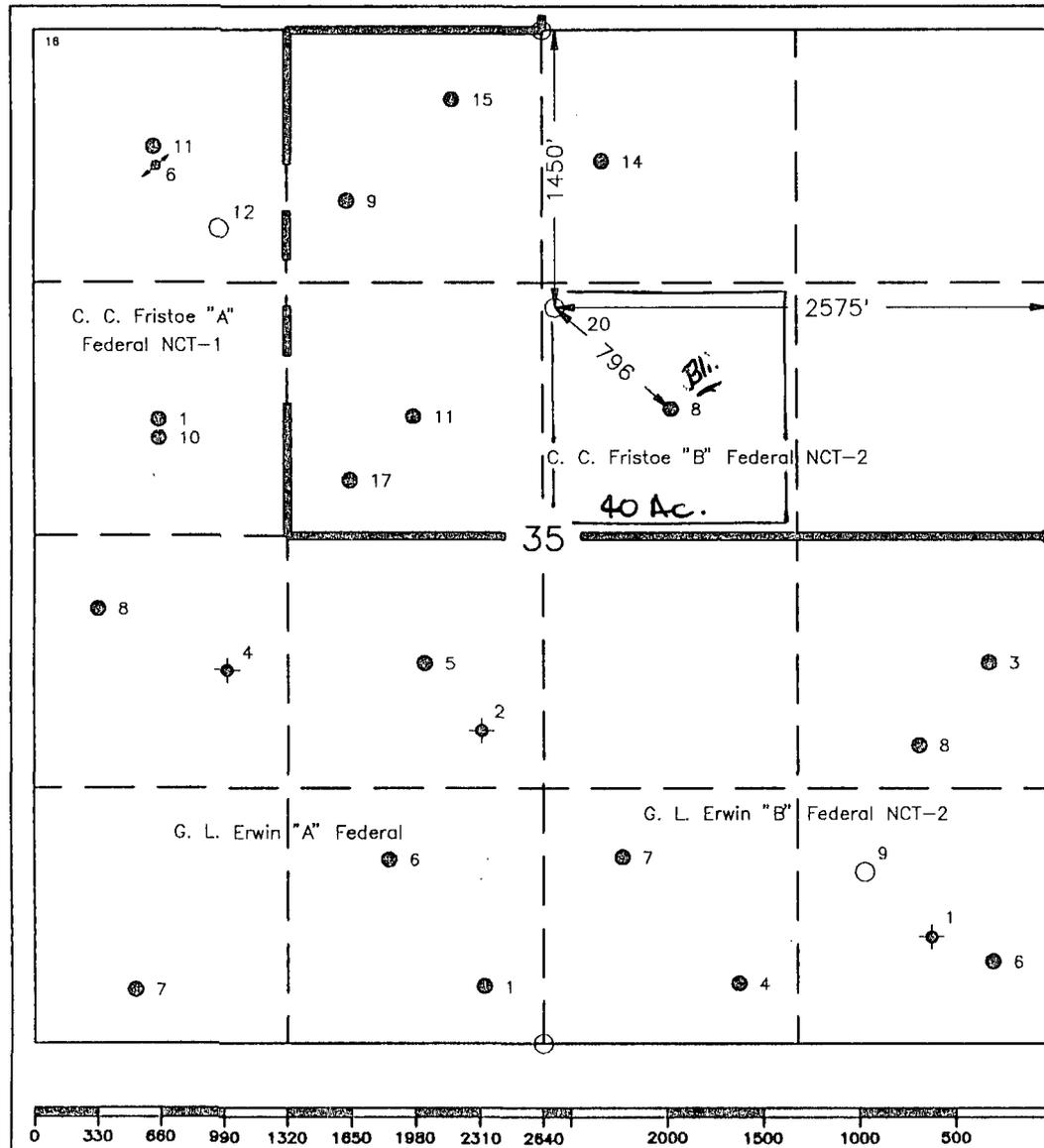
¹ API Number		² Pool Code		³ Pool Name Justis Blinebry & Justis Tubb Drinkard	
⁴ Property Code 10944		⁵ Property Name C. C. Fristoe "B" Federal NCT-2			⁶ Well Number 20
⁷ OGRID No. 22351		⁸ Operator Name TEXACO EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION, INC.			⁹ Elevation 3178'

¹⁰ Surface Location									
UL or lot no. G	Section 35	Township 24-S	Range 37-E	Lot Idn	Feet from the 1450'	North/South line North	Feet from the 2575'	East/West line East	⁷ County Lea

¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface									
UL or lot no.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	⁷ County

¹² Dedicated Acres 40	¹³ Joint or Infill	¹⁴ Consolidation Code	¹⁵ Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION.



¹⁶ OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature: *C. Wade Howard*

Printed Name: C. Wade Howard

Position: Engineer's Assistant

Company: Texaco Expl. & Prod. Inc.

Date: December 17, 1996

¹⁸ SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date Surveyed: December 11, 1996

Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor: *John S. Piper*

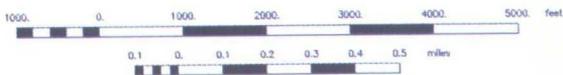
Certificate No.: 7254 John S. Piper

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○ = Staked Location ● = Producing Well ◐ = Injection Well ⊕ = Water Supply Well ⊗ = Plugged & Abandon Well



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Texaco Exploration & Production, Inc		
North Justis & Fowler Field Area Tubb Structure Lea Co., NM		
Soder, Charles		12/11/96
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